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Memorandum

TO : SAC, (100-NEW)

FROM : SA JOSEPH F. CONDON

SUBJECT: JOINT EFFORT

DATE: 4/17/69

On 4/16/69, former SA DARYL HARRELL (Protect), Administrative Assistant to Dr. ROBERT CHISOLM, Superintendent Albuquerque Public Schools, furnished the writer the first two issues of a publication entitled "Joint Effort."

Mr. HARRELL stated that a few months ago, JEFF SHERMAN, 1313 Bryn Mawr, N. E., and CAROL WRIGHT, 1900 Washington, N. E., both 11th grade students at Highland High School, had contacted him and requested permission to distribute on Highland High School grounds a newspaper to be called Joint Effort which they intended to publish. SHERMAN and WRIGHT advised Mr. HARRELL that they were not satisfied with the regular High School paper and denied that this paper was in any way connected with SDS. They stated, however, that DAVID LEVINE, who resides at 2104 C Lead, S. E., would assist them in the actual printing of the paper but that LEVINE would have nothing to do with the content of the paper. Mr. HARRELL advised that the Albuquerque Public School rules regarding publications distributed at High Schools throughout the city give the principal virtually complete power of what can and cannot be distributed on campus. He stated that he suggested that prior to attempting to distribute their proposed paper on campus that SHERMAN and WRIGHT furnish him copies of these papers as they are issued so that he would be able to review them prior to rendering a decision in this matter.

A review of these publications indicates that the first issue sets forth the mailing address as 2014 Lead, S. E.

- 1 - 100-NEW
- 1 - 100-3419 (ASD)
- 1 - 100-3416 (DAVID LEVINE)
- 1 - 105-1797 (LOS CABALLEROS)
- 1 - 100-1822 (ACLU)

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The second issue carries an advertisement soliciting membership in the ACLU. The second issue also includes a brief article regarding active students for democracy (ASD) and lists the following to be contacted for additional information:

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DAVID, 299-5835

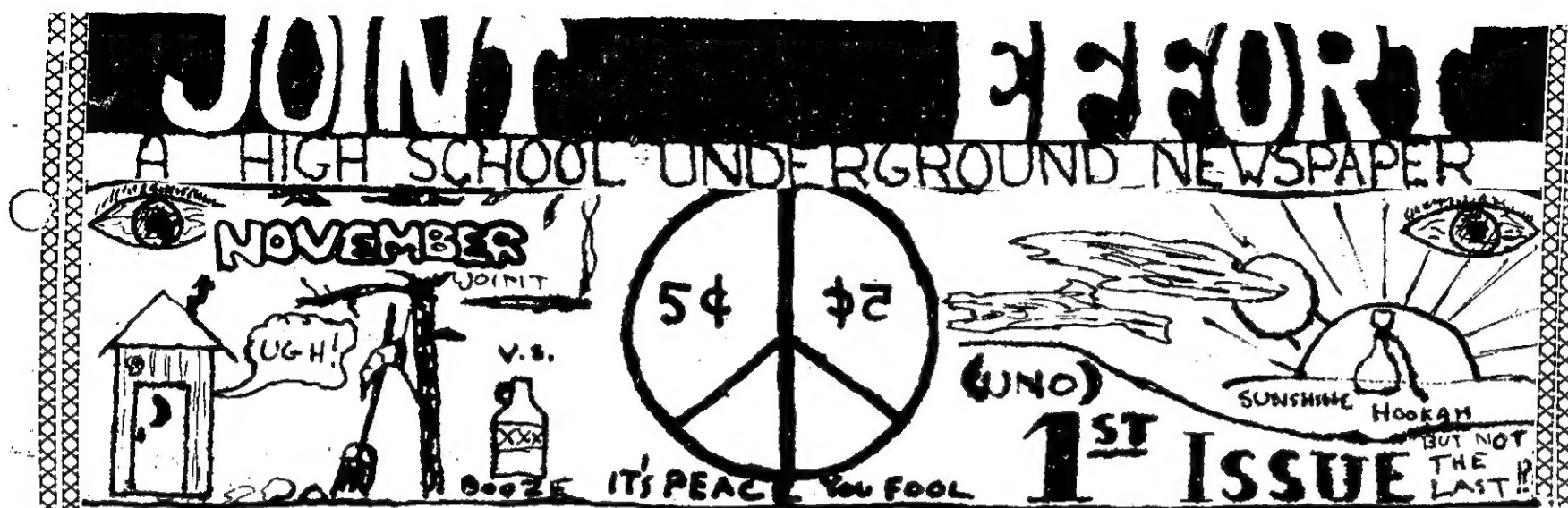
Previous investigation has disclosed that these individuals are JOHN PAUL and DAVID FADELY.

The second issue also carries an article regarding Los Caballeros in which ANDRES SANCHEZ is identified as President and DONALD PLAKIO as Vice President.

The second issue also states that the address of Joint Effort had been changed to 1313 Bryn Mawr, N. E., which as indicated above is SHERMAN's address.

It is recommended that a 100-dead file be opened on Joint Effort in the event subsequent issues of this publication appear and that JEFF SHERMAN and CAROL WRIGHT be indexed to this file.

File
Highland



STUDENTS AS NIGGERS

Note: This article first appeared in the L. A. Free Press. Its printing in the LOBO brought protests by four faculty members. It was banned by the English Department at the Univ. of Minnesota and has caused its share of controversy. Parts of the article are printed in two installments by JOINT EFFORT so you can decide for yourself what its about.

Students are niggers. When you get that straight, our schools begin to make sense. It's more important, though, to understand why they're niggers. If we follow that question seriously enough, it will lead us past the zone of academic bull shit, where dedicated teachers pass their knowledge on to a new generation, and into the nitty gritty of human needs and hangups. ~~And from there we can go on to consider~~ whether it might ever be possible for students to come up from slavery.

First, let's see what is happening now. Let's look at the role students play in what we like to call education. At Cal State, where I teach, the students have separate and unequal dining facilities. A student at Cal State is expected to know his place. He calls a faculty member "Sir" or "Doctor" or "Professor" -- and he smiles and shuffles some as he stands outside a professor's office waiting for permission to enter.

Some teachers insist that they encourage dissent but they are almost always jiving and every student knows it. Tell the man what he wants to hear or he'll fail your ass out of the course. When a teacher says "jump," students jump. I know of one professor who refused to take up class time for exams and required students to show up for tests at 6:30 in the morning. And they did, by God! Another, at exam time, provides answer cards to be filled out -- each one enclosed in a paper bag with a hole cut in the top to see through. Students stick their writing hands into the bag while taking the test. The teacher isn't a provo; I wish he were. He does it to prevent cheating.

Another colleague once caught a student reading during one of his lectures and threw her book against the wall. At the first meeting of a class, one girl got up to leave after about 10 minutes had gone by. The teacher rushed over, grabbed her by the arm, saying "this class is NOT dismissed" and led her back to her seat. On the same day, another teacher began by informing his class that he does not like beards, mustaches, long hair on boys, or capri pants on girls and will not tolerate any of that in his class.

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WHAT ITS ABOUT

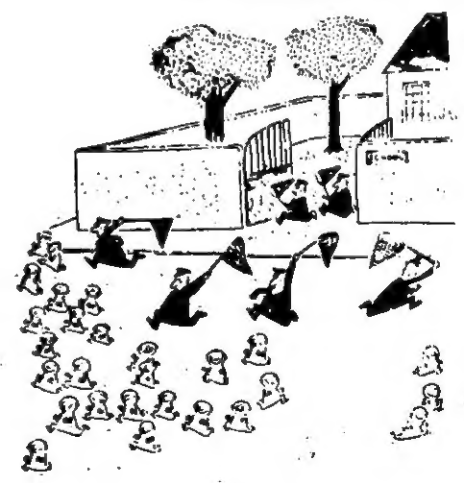
This rag is called Joint Effort because it belongs to the students of all the high schools of Albuquerque. The purpose of Joint Effort is to inform the individual that his fellow student is thinking about what is happening around him. That he has opinions.

KQE ugh

KQEO is a local AM radio station that is popular among many of Albuquerque's younger inhabitants. They accept the fact that most music that is played on 9.20 is pretty cruddy, put up with countless commercials, and listen to disc-jockeys that talk and talk....

Although as far as providing quality music for pleasurable listening, it's pitifully lacking, many people choose to ignore this and continue to patronize mediocrity.

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STUDENTS AS NIGGERS (cont.)

Even more discouraging is the fact that students take it. They haven't gone through 12 years of public school for nothing. They've learned one thing and perhaps only one thing during those 12 years. They've forgotten their algebra. They're hopelessly vague about chemistry and physics. They've grown to fear and resent literature. They write like they've been lobotomized. But, Jesus, can they follow orders! Freshman come up to me with an essay and ask if I want it folded or whether their name should be in the upper right hand corner. And I want to cry and caress their poor tortured heads.

Students don't ask that orders make sense. They give up expecting things to make sense long before they leave elementary school. Things are true because the teacher says they are true. The important thing is to please her. Back in kindergarten, you found out that teachers only love straight lines. And that's where it's been ever since. Nothing changes except to get worse. School becomes more and more obviously a prison. Last year I spoke to a student assembly at Manual Arts High School and then couldn't get out of the damn school. I mean there was NO WAY OUT. Locked doors. High fences. One of the inmates was trying to make it over a fence when he saw me coming and froze in panic. For a moment I expected sirens, a rattle of bullets, and him clawing the fence.

What school amounts to is a 12-year course in how to be slaves. What else could explain what I see in freshman class? They've got the slave mentality: obliging and ingratiating on the surface but hostile and resistant underneath.

As do the black slaves, students vary in their awareness of what is going on. Some recognize their own put-on for what it is and even let their rebellion break through to the surface now and then. Others - including most of the "good students" - have been more deeply brainwashed. They swallow the bull with greedy mouths. They honest-to-god believe in grades, in busy work, in general education requirements. They're pathetically eager to be pushed around. They're like those old greyheaded house niggers you can still find in the South who don't see what all the fuss is about because Mr. Charlie "treats us real good".

Some students are expert con artists and know perfectly well what is happening. They want the degree or the 2-S and spend their years on the old plantation alternately laughing and cussing as they play the game. If their egos are strong enough, they cheat a lot. And of course, even the Toms are angry deep down somewhere. But it comes out in passive rather than active aggression. They're subject to frequent spells of laziness. They misread simple questions. They spend their nights mechanically outlining history chapters while meticulously failing to comprehend a word of what is in front of them.

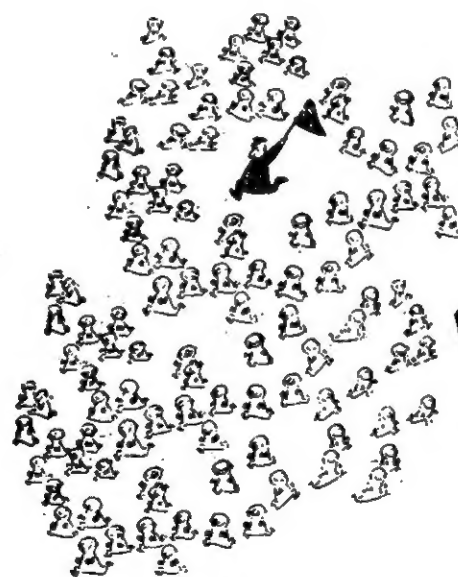
The saddest cases among both black slaves and student slaves are the ones who have so thoroughly interjected their master's values that their anger is all turned inward. These are the kids for whom every low grade is torture, who stammer and shake when they speak to a professor, who go through an emotional crisis every time they are called upon in class. You can recognize them easily during finals time. Their faces are festooned with fresh pimples; their bowels boil audibly across the room. If there really is a last judgment, then the parents and teachers who created these wrecks are going to burn in hell.

So students are niggers. It's time to find out why, and to do this we have to take a long look at Mr. Charlie.

CONTINUED NEXT ISSUE (Mr. Charlie and his hang-ups)

JOINT GETS HIP

JOINT EFFORT has joined the new High School Independent Press association (H.I.P.), a branch of LNS. When we find out - we'll tell you where its at in other high schools.



Right Wing! Left Wing! Or Wingless!!

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PLEASE SEND IN CONTRIBUTIONS SO WE CAN GET OUR NEXT ISSUE OUT!

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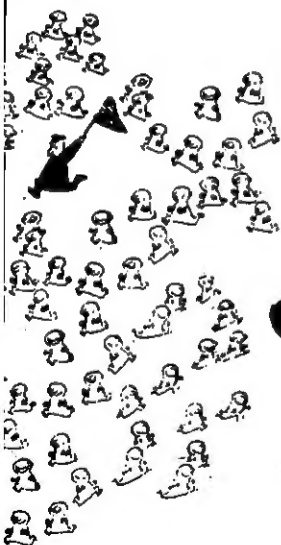
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KUNM is the university FM station. Not many people know about it and so not many listen to it. KUNM plays good music, they don't cut down lengthy songs, there aren't any commercials, and the disc-jockeys don't talk endlessly.

Admittedly, KQEO plays an occasional selection that demonstrates musical talent and artistic ability, as performed by such famous artists as the Cream, the Jefferson Airplane, and the Doors, yet these seem to be the exception rather than the rule. KQEO appears to prefer such music as done by the Fruitgum Company, The Ohio Express, Gary Lewis and the Playboys, The Vogues, and many others.

KUNM provides programming of almost an opposite nature. They lean heavily towards reputed musicians who have earned a position of respect in the musical world. Examples of this are found in Big Brother and the Holding Company, The Mothers of Invention, Arlo Guthrie, Jim Hendrix, Quicksilver Messenger Service, The Grateful Dead, and again innumerable others.

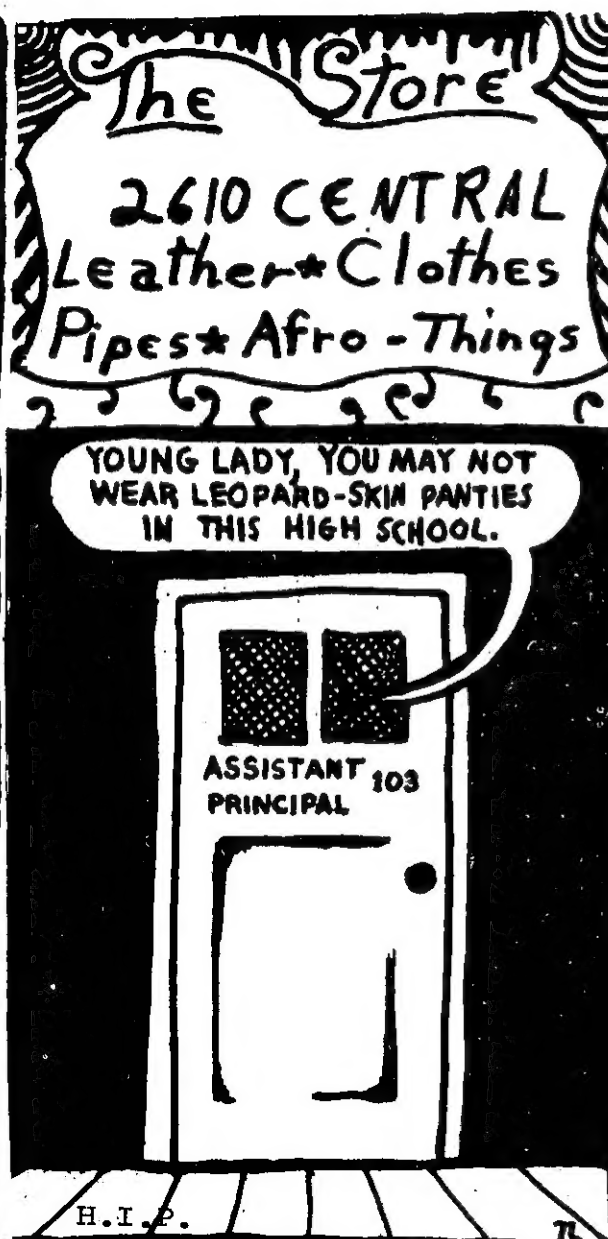
They tend to play selections off of current albums (as well as old favorite pieces) rather than 45 rpm records, thus often playing longer and more fully developed songs. They will play any request if they have the music available. If KUNM finds out about a good record not in stock, they try like hell to get it.

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Another quality found in KUNM's broadcasts is the fact that they play a selection entirely through, rather than cutting it off when the three or four minutes of allotted air time is over as is often the case of KQEO.

Now which would you think is better and listen to? KQEO or KUNM?

KQE ugh (cont.)



Of a Man Who Wants to Kill
My Baby Because I am so Poor

You are wrong
I beg you to listen

My baby
Shall cry
And walk
The streets
Hungry

With no shoes
Or blankets
And toys
Of mud-soldiers

But he can
Watch
A sun-set

And write
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Or tell you he his happy
Just to touch the eyes of tomorrow

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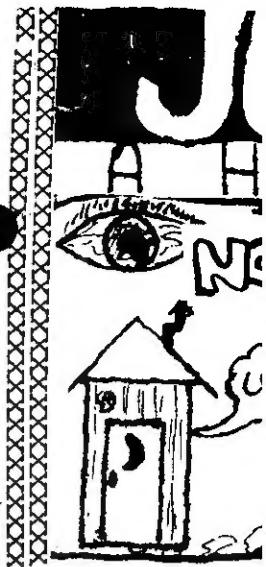




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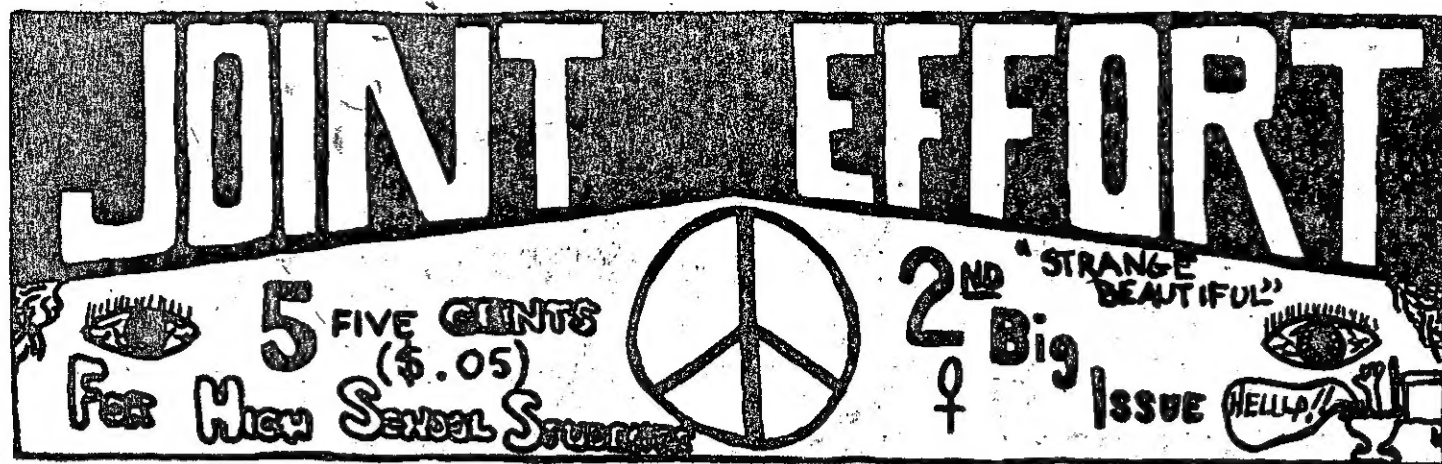
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The Great American Cop-out

Several years ago the country was horrified to hear of the murder of Kitty Genovese who was stabbed to death while thirty six people watched. The cowardly 36 tried to rationalize their inaction by saying that (1) it was none of their business, (2) the cops were supposed to take care of such matters (3) that Kitty was probably an immoral girl who had invited or provoked the attack, (4) she should have been at home watching TV instead of walking on the street. Such irrationalizations do not fool anyone, it was a plain case of cowardice.

On August 26 of this year the whole world was horrified to see the worst police riot in history unfolding before their eyes, live and in color on TV. The first reactions among decent people were of disbelief and revulsion at the senseless brutality of the attack by the Cops on kids whose only provocations before the attack had been vocal.

It is significant that on several occasions hundreds of the delegates joined the demonstrators in protesting the fascist tactics of the Chicago Pig Department. On Wednesday night and Thursday some of delegates were the objects of attack when they were gassed and arrested by the pigs. Private homes and even a church was invaded. Nothing was too innocent or too sacred to escape the wrath of the fascist pigs.

The press that covered the convention was unanimous in its verdict. Newsweek: Miraculously no one was killed by Mayor Richard Daley's beefy cops, who went on a sustained rampage unprecedented outside the most unreconstructed boondocks of Dixie. 'Kill em! 'Kill em! they shouted as they charge.

Jimmy Breslin - New York Post columnist, --- last night was the worst act I ever have seen perpetrated by policemen.

Jack Mabley - Chicago American, --- This is not the beginning of the police state Mabley concluded his column, it is the police state.

Britains's Daily Express - The Chicago police are the same kind of men who eliminated the Jews in Nazi Germany, the same kind of men who kept Stalin's terror alive in the Soviet Union, All these men have one thing in common, they enjoy their work.

Washington Post - What horrified delegates and other spectators who saw the clash between police and the demonstrators, Wednesday night was the widespread and wanton brutality of many police officers.

In numerous observed and photographed instances, individuals knocked to the ground were ruthlessly beaten and kicked by policemen. The use of force went far beyond the needs of order and was some times sickening in its savagery.

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The Great Cop-out

Chicago Daily News --- One out of every five candidates for the Chicago police department has a severe emotional disturbance, a psychiatric study discloses--those who choose police work are aggressive, tend to act on impulse, have a high index of suspicion --- and a tendency to be self justifying.

After the battle was over most of the demonstrators felt some satisfaction about what had happened, because the horror and agony they had gone through would at last show the American people what kind of government we have. We were dead wrong. As soon as the tear gas blew away and the blood was washed from the streets, most people started the same kind of rationalizing as the 36 did who watched the murder of Kitty Genovese. In this case, however, the guilt lies not with only 36 people but with every citizen of the United States. Anyone who could watch what happened on TV or read about it in any press reports, other than the controlled Dallas papers, and still say that the Chicago police acted properly is a fool, a pig, or both.

Many of the best reporters of the blood bath in Chicago did an about face when pressure was put on them by their advertisers and the Administration. In the first issue after the convention, Newsweek found it alarming that almost 3 out of 5 of the people approved the police action. One week later they were apologizing for having lost their heads and telling the truth.

Goddammit, that's what's wrong with this country. We have to get involved when we see a crime being committed, whether it is cops beating kids, rapists stabbing girls under our windows, or "brave" pilots dropping napalm on helpless civilians.

If those bastards can blandly lie about what happened in Chicago when the whole world was watching, think how they can twist news from halfway around the world. It is true that we have a theoretically free press in this country but it just doesn't work that way in practice. Every publication which carries advertising is subject to pressure from the military-industrial complex which runs the country and it is only by reading everything that is written and giving careful consideration to conflicting reports that you can winnow the truth out of the garbage that is written.

I was not so disappointed to find that the fascist minded conservatives approved of the police action but what really hurt was to have seemingly decent liberals agreeing. One man told me that we deserved what we got because Abbie Hoffman--a Yippie leader--had a four letter word written on his forehead. A churchgoing woman, a Unitarian no less, said that demonstrators should be run over when they obstruct traffic.

It is obvious that the American people are doing the biggest copout in history. If they were to admit the truth of what their eyes saw, they would have to admit that democracy is dead in America and then they would have to do something about it. It is a lot easier to watch the Cowboys playing football, or whatever they do than to join a revolution.

-Taken from Dallas Notes

-Written by David Savage

Joint Effort would also like to add that a Presidential Investigation was taken on the subject and came up with definite proof of police brutality.

Ideally, a teacher should minimize the distance between himself and his students. He should encourage them not to need him--eventually or even immediately. But this is rarely the case. Teachers made themselves high priests or arcane mysteries. They become masters of mumbe-jumbo. Even a more or less conscientious teacher may be torn between the desire to give and the desire to hold them in bondage to him. I find no other explanation that accounts for the way my own subject, Literature, which ought

to be a source of joy, solace and enlightenment, often becomes in the classroom nothing more than a source of anxiety--at best an arena for expertise, a ledger book for the ego.

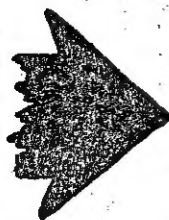
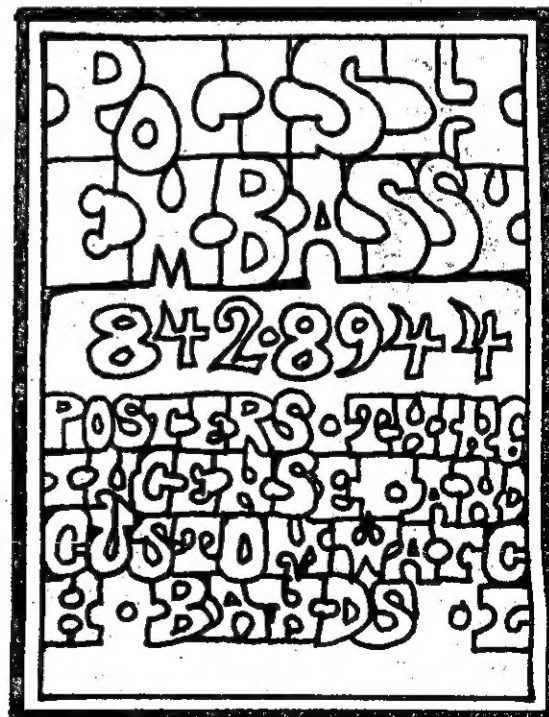
Educational oppression is trickier to fight than racial oppression. If you're a black rebel, they can't exile you, but in high school or college, they can just bounce you off the fold. And they do it.

Rebel students and renegade faculty members get smothered or shot down with devastating accuracy. In high school, it's usually the student who gets it; in college, it's more often the teacher. Others get tired of fighting and voluntarily leave the system. This may be a mistake though. You can't really get away from it so you might as well stay and raise hell.

How do you raise hell? That's a whole other article. But just for a start, why not stay with the analogy? What have black people done? They have, first of all, faced the fact of their slavery. They've stopped kidding themselves about an eventual reward in that Great Watermelon Patch in the sky. They've organized; they've decided to get freedom now, and they've decided to get freedom now, and they've started taking it.

For students, as for black people, the hardest battle isn't with Mr. Charlie. It's with what Mr. Charlie has done to your mind.

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A.S.D.

Active Students for Democracy

The organization A. S. D. is a group of liberal students that originated at Sandia High School. The fundamental purpose of the organization is to bring about changes in the Albuquerque High Schools that will make high school correspond to the world instead of being a small fake society in itself. As a group, the A.S.D. seeks to update and improve educational process of said schools and to destroy the by-laws that are not applicable to education and that take away the rights of the individual. A. S. D. promotes all opportunities for the students maturity to be expressed and developed by encouraging students to think for themselves.

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LOS CABALLEROS (J.E. special)

Recently in Albuquerque a group of Indio-Hispano youths have been organizing under the name of "Los Caballeros". They are attempting to unite together unhappy and dissatisfied teenagers (some members are as young as 10) with several aims in mind. They are highly sympathetic with the position of the Aleanza and have initiated programs to help underprivileged "brothers" in the area.

Los Caballeros is led by Andres Sanchez, President and Donald Plakio, Vice-President. Several weeks ago, on January 6, several Caballeros passed out a leaflet (see below) stating their purpose and principles at Valley High School. For this they were stopped by both school officials and city police, and were subsequently suspended from school. Also, according to Andres, the police have charged members with "loitering" and "spreading propaganda". They were also criticized for wearing headbands, which symbolizes their Indian and Spanish mixture, and were accused of "creating a public nuisance".

At Christmas, they collected around \$300, which was used to distribute food and presents to families in Barelvas.

Although this group utilizes its time and resources in a basically humanitarian manner, some of their objectives appear to be unrealistic. They feel that they have been discriminated against (which cannot be denied by anyone) but to require that all teachers speak both Spanish and English and to demand the immediate enforcement of the terms of the Guadalupe-Hidalgo Treaty is unreasonable in light of the present structure of the present structure of American and New Mexican society.

It is hoped that through increased attention to the problems facing the Indio-Hispano people of New Mexico, new programs of assistance and self-help will be initiated. These people certainly do face great obstacles in raising their standards of living and education, and to ignore these facts will only increase and intensify these issues. Los Caballeros, by working among themselves, are one good start towards this goal, and should not be criticized for maintaining an individualistic point of view.

LOS CABALLEROS

Purposes and principles:

1. We pledge to help and fight for the rights of the poor and Indo-Hispano people.
2. Membership is open to any person who is Indo-Hispano people.
3. Our creed is the fostering and protection of the Spanish culture, language and history.
4. We believe in justice and law; we support the Constitution of the United States.
5. We are opposed to exploitation of the poor and believe that no man should have more than he needs while others starve.
6. We believe in the right of young people to enjoy life and not to be economic slaves to their elders.
7. We respect the wisdom and knowledge of those older than ourselves.
8. We will cooperate with all groups who share our principles.
9. We believe in close working together with young people who speak Spanish throughout the world.
10. We do not believe in one man exploiting another man, nor in one people living on the back of another, nor in one nation growing fat on the blood of another.
11. We believe that the grants of land given initially by Spain and Mexico to pueblos of Indo-Hispano citizens of the United States must be immediately restored to those pueblos.
12. We call for immediate enforcement of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo.

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JOINT EFFORT would like to thank everyone who sent in articles and poems. Unfortunately, we couldn't use much this issue but hope to get more in next issue. Keep sending stuff in. We print almost anything as you can tell.

Also, a special thanks to the cat who sent in the money. We really dig contributions of that sort and we need them.

If you send in artwork please have it in black ink and on plain paper. It otherwise cannot be used.

We will also print photographs (black and white) but they can't be returned.

Send in ~~insuorupdoof~~ articles and of the paper as we want to start an editorial page.

The new breed

J. JAMESON

Preface

Lest you don't believe in what is
and regard not the sacred principals
of the fallen city
and desire. . .

and desire the freedom
granted soul and body

he calls
like a lone coyote

in the wildwolf pack
whose decree is pleasure

He stands like the last
the beginning of a new race
and he desires you as his woman

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and you cry in pain

in spite of the sweetness
his hunger is

never ending
new lands open unto you

whose lunar phase never ends,
fields of sun

which caresses the mind
and fulfills the body
to raise to frightening heights
and bring you down softly again
with a kiss

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Now the steady heart beat is gone

Fled into the night
it is his being,

be happy you had him
for a short time

he will be with another now

But his seed is firmly imbedded
you're the mother of the new world, desired.

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Der Menu	
Chili Dog	18c
Kraut Dog	18c
Mustard Dog	18c
French Fries	18c
Polish Dog	50c
Pot 'o Beans	20c
Coffee	10c
Cola, Orange,	
Rootbeer	10c, 20c
Der Wienerschnitzel	
Dog	30c
Shakes	25c

Der Wienerschnitzel
4201 Central NE

I look into the sky
 I see you
 I feel the breeze blowing thru my hair
 I hear your whispers
 I feel the rain dropping gently on my lips
 I feel your kisses
 I wonder, 'Where are you now?'
 I wonder, 'What are you doing?'
 I remember that first day
 I remember that first time
 I remember your warm embraces
 I remember the damn phone ringing
 I remember your warmth again
 Then, I wonder, where are you now
 I wonder if you are saying the same things
 I wonder if you are touching her the same
 Can I help wanting to be a part of you?
 Am I already?
 I feel the rain gently dropping on my cheek
 I laugh. That's not rain
 It's tears.

A-men

This is a man.
 You are not to kill him.
 Of all his selfish deeds,
 And all his greedy needs.
 It's time to plant new seeds
 For a new world.

And this.....this is that man's son.
 He is not "man created" yet;
 He most likely never will be,
 For his mother prays on knees,
 For his father's overseas,
 And he's killing Vietnamese.
 Chances are, these three won't see
 The hopes for a new world.

—Ric

ORANGE DAZE

—Ric

I opened my eyes
 in an orange colored daze
 and saw that the world
 was crumbling away.
 From its hate and confusion
 I have only to say
 I'm packing my conclusion
 and I'm going away.

The clouds are like cotton
 chased by the wind
 over cellophane seas
 where the waves never end.
 A colorful rainbow
 towering the sky
 is guarding the graveyard
 where the rain has died.

I'm taking a trip
 to my own little land
 in my own little way
 in my own little van.
 I'll float through a doorway
 and I'll smile and I'll stand
 telling fairy-tale stories
 in a giant man's hand.

The moon has come out now
 calling the day
 replacing the sun
 as it's sinking away.
 And elves are using
 mushrooms for pillows
 feeding their dreams
 under leaves of the willows.

My guide is a candle
 with an electrical flame
 everything is unique
 there's nothing the same.
 I wander down streets
 made of cobblestone glass
 while sky-scaling snails
 sleep on angelhair grass.

A unicorn stops
 and she gives me the time
 then continues to trot
 down the blue dotted line.
 But a cloud feels my head
 my opened eyes looked
 and I knew I'd returned
 from the trip my mind took.

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